EXHIBIT A

LEGAL DESCRIPTION: SOUTHSIDE OF CAHOKIA DIVERSION CANAL

A 1.00 FT. WIDE EASEMENT WITHIN PART OF THE NORTH 1/2 OF SECTION 16 TOWNSHIP 4 NORTH, RANGE 9 WEST IN MADISON COUNTY, ILLINOIS THE CENTER LINE OF WHICH IS DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: COMMENCING AT THE N.W. **CORNER OF SECTION 16** THENCE S 00 DEG 10'00" E 399.00 FT. TO A POINT: THENCE N 89 DEG 27'30" E 2639.30 FT. TO A POINT; THENCE S 00 DEG 01'30" W 178,80 FT. TO A POINT; THENCE S 89 DEG 20'30" E 719.40 FT. TO AP #4 PER U.S. ARMY CORP OF ENG. THENCE N 50 DEG 08'35" E 487,56 FT. THE POINT OF BEGINNING OF THE CENTER LINE HEREIN DESCRIBED; THENCE S 59 DEG 18'13" E 190.20 FT. TO A POINT; THENCE S 53 DEG 15'26" E 41.91 FT. TO A POINT; THENCE S 55 DEG 03'31" E 32.57 FT. TO A POINT: THENCE S 51 DEG 05'36" E 10.67 FT. TO A POINT: THENCE S 81 DEG 06'02" E 30.38 FT. TO A POINT; THENCE N 89 DEG 53'09" E 8.49 FT. TO A POINT; THENCE S 87 DEG 58'30" E 127.66 FT. TO A POINT: THENCE S 05 DEG 19'52" W 71.12 FT. TO A POINT; THENCE S 11 DEG 47'47" W 114.42 FT. TO A END POINT OF SAID CENTER LINE.

LEGAL DESCRIPTION PREPARD BY: FITCH AND ASSOCIATES

EASEMENT CONSISTS OF 627 SQ. FT.